

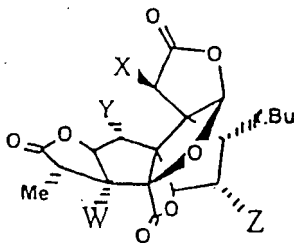
**In the claims:**

**Claims 1 to 3** (cancelled).

**Claim 4** (previously presented)      The method of claim 11, comprising 3.5 to 1% of ginkgo biloba A, B, C and J, 40 to 60% of flavoneglycosides, and 5 to 7% of bilobalide wherein the Ginkgo biloba extract contains at least 5% of ginkgolides.

**Claim 5** (previously presented)      The method of claim 4, wherein the Ginkgo biloba extract contains at least 50% of ginkgolides.

**Claim 6** (previously presented)      The method of claim 11 wherein the extract contains a compound of the formula



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in which W, X, Y and Z independently represent the H, OH, linear or branched alkoxy or a mono- or a disaccharide, or one of their derivatives or analogues,  
it being understood that at least one W, X, Y or Z is a mono- or disaccharide.

**Claim 7** (previously presented)      The method of claim 6, wherein:

-either W is OH or a mono-or disaccharide, Y is H;

-or W is OH or a mono-or disaccharide, Y is OH or a mono-or disaccharide, and  
Z is H;

-or W is OH or a mono-or disaccharide, Y is OH or a mono-or disaccharide, and  
Z is OH or a mono-or disaccharide,

-or W is OH or a mono- or disaccharide, Y is H and Z is OH or a mono- or  
disaccharide,

-or W is H, Y is OH or a mono- or disaccharide and Z is OH or a mono- or  
disaccharide;

-or W is OH or a mono- or disaccharide, Y is a linear or branched alkoxy and Z is  
H;

it being understood that at least one of W, X, Y or Z is a mono- or disaccharide.

**Claim 8** (previously presented)      The method of claim 6 wherein:

-either W is OH or a mono- or disaccharide, Y is H and Z is H;

-or W is OH or a mono- or disaccharide, Y is OH or a mono- or disaccharide, and Z is H;

-or W is OH or a mono- or disaccharide, Y is a linear or branched alkoxy radical and Z is H;

it being understood that at least one of W, X, Y or Z is a mono- or disaccharide.

**Claim 9** (cancelled).

**Claim 10** (previously presented)      The method of claim 13 wherein the ginkgolide is ginkgolide A or ginkgolide B.

**Claim 11** (currently amended)      A method of alleviating withdrawal symptoms associated with alcohol, amphetamine and morphine withdrawal in a human comprising administering to humans in need thereof due to dependency on consumption of additive substances an amount of Ginkgo biloba extract sufficient to alleviate said withdrawal symptoms.

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**Claim 13** (previously presented)      The method of claim 11 wherein the extract is selected from the group consisting of a ginkgolide, a pharmaceutical salt thereof, a glycosylated ginkgolide, an alkoxylated ginkgolide and an acylated ginkgolide.

**Claim 14** (previously presented)      The method of claim 11 wherein the Ginkgo biloba extract comprises 20 to 30% by weight of flavoneglycosides, 2.5 to 4.5% by weight of ginkgolides A, B, C and J, 2 to 4% by weight of bilobolide, less than 10% by weight of proanthocyanidines and less than 10 ppm of compounds of alkylphenol type.

**Claim 15** (previously presented)      The method of claim 14 wherein the Ginkgo biloba extract has less than 5 ppm of compounds of the alkylphenol type.

**Claim 16** (cancelled).